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## EVIDENCE AND STATEMENT ACCOMPANYING PETITION TO RESET PERIOD FOR RESPONSE DUE TO LATE RECEIPT OF ACTION

I, Todd A. Norton, hereby state that the Notice to File Missing Parts indicated to have been mailed by the Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") on October 31, 2003, was received on April 26, 2004. Enclosed please find evidence of our receipt of this Notice to File Missing Parts in the form of a fax transmittal from the PTO.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner to restart the period for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts indicated to have been mailed on October 31, 2003, a copy of which is attached as Appendix A. This petition is being filed within the maximum two weeks from the receipt of the Notice to File Missing Parts on April 26, 2004, a copy of which receipt is evidenced in the papers of Appendix B. Applicant respectfully submits that a substantial portion of the response period, namely five months, had elapsed by the date of receipt with only slightly more than one month remaining to respond. As stated hereinabove evidence showing the date of receipt of the Notice to File Missing Parts is included in Appendix B. Further, Applicant submits the statement included in Appendix C, which sets forth the date of receipt of the Notice to File Missing Parts. Included with this petition is the filing fee of \$130.00.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required by this petition or credit any overpayment to deposit account #18-0586.

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